



Clifton Park & Halfmoon Read

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The search for the perfect book for the Friends of the CPH Library, Two Towns-One Book **TTOB 2017 Community Read** began in January with book nominations from the Clifton Park-Halfmoon Library community. Nominations closed May 31. During the summer months, our Book Selection Committee narrowed nearly 200 nominations to five great reads.

The Contenders were revealed on September 15th at the CPH Library. A display in the "Around the Corner Display" case provided clues to the winning books.

Final Five Contenders:

Glory Over Everything by Kathleen Grisson

Hidden America by Jeanne Marie Laskas

The Magic Strings of Frankie Presto by Mitch Albom

Noon at Tiffany's by Echo Heron

Rosemary: The Hidden Kennedy Daughter by Kate Larson

Please help us choose the book for our 2017 Community Read by casting your vote. Voting for the winning book continues until Monday, October 31. Ballots and ballot boxes are available at the Clifton Park Town Hall, the Halfmoon Town Hall, and the Clifton Park-Halfmoon Public Library. Votes can also be cast on line at <http://www.twotownsonebook.org>.

Attached is a short description of each book taken from publisher's websites for each Contender.

Two Towns-One Book: Clifton Park & Halfmoon Read! was created to bring the people in our Library community together through the shared reading and discussion of a common book. Our choices inspire rich discussion and community activities, and encourage younger readers to participate through companion books and related activities.

Community members interested in volunteering for project activities or events should contact Linda Conklin at lconklin@nycap.rr.com. Visit our website, <http://www.twotownsonebook.org> for additional information.